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ing Department, it appearing that the

self, but for extras which the Adminis-

ing Department. After hearing from a large delegation, the committee re-

commended an allowance of \$500 to the Richmond Training School for Kindergartners, Superintendent J. A.

cations were allowed to stand. The question of acquiring property rights for extension of sewer in Miles ra-

committee. Plans for the widening of West Cary Street also went to a sub-committee, consisting of Messrs, Sea-

was given out as to the attitude of the

Finance Committee on the proposition of the Administrative Board to use the

will last as long as the bonds are out-

MAY ELECT MATRON

Police Board Expected to Fill New Position at To-Night's Meeting. At the meeting of the Board of Po-

been approved by the Mayor and is now a law. The position carries with it a salary of \$60 a month. There

FULLY ARGUED

Holding Successful Revival.

The series of revival services being held this week at Grace Street Baptist Church are meeting with great success, and many conversions are being made. Rev. Lloyd T. Wilson, the pastor, is conducting the services nightly at 3 o'clock. Last night he preached a strong sermon, taking at his subject "A Devoted Friend." To night he will speak on "A Valuable Witness." The regular church choir is being assisted by a chorus choir and special music is being sung at each service.

funds of the Street Clean-

ATTEMPTS TO ROB | WILL NOT PROVIDE DETECTIVE'S ROOM MONEY FOR FRILLS

descriptions, have been committed in recent years, but the strangest in local police annals took place last night, when a negro woman was caught, redhanded, in the act of ransacking the trunk of a detective.

Detective F. L. Krengel, of head-

quarters, who lives with his brother, A. E. Krengel, of 11 South Morris Street, went to his room last night shortly before 7 o'clock and, as he neared the door, heard the sound of heavy body apparently falling on is bed. The room was dark when e entered, and he hastily lit the gas ind was dumfounded when he saw

'I haven't stolen anything," was the

was turned topsy-turvy. Numerous articles of jewelry, including several valuable Masonic charms and emblems, valuable Masonic charms and emblems, to an articles of jewelry, including several ditional kindergarten at once.

A number of citizens appeared to ferent, filthy complain of the license classifications, in the most ployes of but these or four minor corrections all of his clothing, the pockets of which had been turned inside out, were a another stack. The detective found that his trunk had been broken open with a heavy shoehorn, which the woman had taken from his bureau.

At first she said she had come to the house upon invitation of the cook. The latter denied that she ever saw the woman. The intruder then swore

she did not know how she got in the house, and declared she did not "know anything." You're Detective Krengel."
"You told the truth that time. Come

on." He took her to a nearby patrol box and summoned the patrol from the Second Police Station docketed as Annie Anderson, twenty-one years old, and charged with bur-

PLAN BIBLE CONFERENCE

Mass-Meeting of Men in Grace Street Presbyterian Church To-Night.

A mass-meeting of the men of the different churches and Sunday schools of Richmend and vicinity will be held to-night in Grace Street Presbyterian Church under the nuspices of the city committee of the Richmend Federation of Men's Bible Classes. The chief purpose of the meeting will be to perfect plans for a Bible conference to be held in one of the central churches the last week in April.

James W. Gordon, president of the federation, will preside over the meeting. Dr. W. L. Lingle, of Union Theological Seminary, will make a short talk on the benefits and importance of Bible conference work, and several other prominent laymen will make five-minute talks along the same lines.

INSPECTING MILITIA

Adjutant-General to Undergo Examination for War Department To-Day.

Company C. First Infantry, under Captain C. B. Coulborne, and Company F. under Captain A. B. Cousins, were inspected last night by Captain J. K. Partello for the War Department. As in the case of the other compaines of the Richmond Grays the inspection was held in Broad Street at Twelfth, the local battailon of the First Regiment being without armory facilities.

The annual Federal examination is now almost ended. To-day Captain Partello will inspect the office of the Adjutant-General, the State arsenal and store-rooms, and the office of Inspector-General Jo Lane Stern.

Holding Farmers' Institutes.

The long series of farmers' institutes on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway will end to-morrow. The ineeting this morning will refer to the series of the first Police Station. Her duties begin immediately after her election. Rallway will end to-morrow. The meeting this morning will be at Williamsburg and this afternoon at Lee Hall. To-morrow the entire day will be spent at Hampton, where the meeting will be at the Normal and Agricultural Institute.

Commissioner Koiner will go to Dendron, Surry County, Saturday to hold an institute.

Judge Scott Takes Insurance Case Under Advisement.

Argument was fully heard before Judge R. Carter Scott yesterday in the City Circuit Court in the case of the Commonwealth of Virginia, at the relation of Joseph Button. Commissioner of Insurance, against the Modern Workmen of the World, after which the court took time to consider the case. Commissioner Button claims that the fraternal order reinsured its business in this State without first having obtained the consent and approval of his department as required by law. The State was represented by D. C. O Flaherty, of O'Flaherty, Fulton & Byrd; William H. Mann, Jr., and Assistant Attorney-General R. B. Davis, The Modern Workmen of the World were represented by Judge J. K. M. Norion and Alexander H. Sands. The institute series on the Rich-mond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad will be held next week.



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BEST FAMILIES

for its immediate benefits, but for its educational value. The condition of the backyards, lots, alleys and streets out of the constitute, Mr. Weber stated, an imbusiness men, he said, were largely ness men are often extremely have to stumble over it on their way to business neither put a stop to such

The chief value of a cleaning day, committee, consisting of Messrs. Seaton, Lumsden and Gilman.

The meeting was held in executive session, and no authorized statement was given out as to the attitude of the second of a cleaning day, Mr Weber thought, was in the opportunity it affords for education. It stirs up civic pride and brings together was given out as to the attitude of the second of the city.

NO REWARD DUE

of the Administrative Board to use the First Market building fund for street paving.

The matter was not officially before the Finance Committee, but was the subject of informal discussion, being regarded as a palpable effort on the part of the board to force the Finance Committee into appropriating funds in excess of the city's revenues.

"I do not believe that the Finance Committee will vote for any street improvements from bond issue funds, or for any transfer that would prove the entering wedge to such an expenditure," said one member of the commitentering wedge to such an expenditure," said one member of the committee after adjournment. "It is much easier to get into debt than to get out, and the Finance Committee has set itself against incurring any debt to nobody. Hargove is under that the governor that the arrest and conviction of F. L. Hargrove, charged with this crime, had been worked up by a detective of the Bureau of Insurance, who labors on a salary and that the reward is properly payable to nobody. Hargrove is under that the entering wedge to such an expenditure, and conviction of F. L. Hargrove and the committee and conviction of F. L. Hargrove and the committee and conviction of F. L. Hargrove and the committee and conviction of F. L. Hargrove and the committee and conviction of F. L. Hargrove and conviction of F salary and that the reward is properly payable to nobody. Hargrove is under sentence of electrocution. responding and permanent asset that

James Bates, alias J. Dixon, colored, was held for the grand jury yester-day morning in Police Court on the charge of breaking and entering store of Joseph Goldberg and stealing a quantity of clothing.

Marriage License.

A marriage license was issued yesterday in the Hustings Court to Howard G. Parrish and Minnie Lee Terry.

lice Commissioners, which will take place to-night at 8 o'clock in the office of the Chief of Police, the matter of Suing Street Car Company.

In the case of G. T. Donahoe against the Virginia Raffway and Power Company, on trial in the City Circuit Court, the jury heard the evidence yesterday and was adourned to this morning at 10 octock. The action is for \$5,000 for alleged personal injuries. electing a matron to care for female prisoners will be taken up, it is ex-pected. Captain George E. Pollock, secretary of the board, was yesterday advised by City Clerk August that the ordinance creating this position had

FORTUNE TELLER

The Times Bispatch

Arrest in Ashland Leads to Remarkable Disclosure by Richmond Police.

MANY ARTICLES ARE FOUND

Valuable Jewelry Taken From Palm Reader's Room in East Marshall Street.

Ashland for engaging in a fight to the disclosure last night that they are wanted in Richmond on the charge of having committed numerous thefts, upon information supplied by them to detectives two other boys and one man, who is alleged to have bought the stolen goods, were taken in custody and held as suspicious char-

Charles Beckner, fourteen years old, John Nevin, fifteen years old, of 2109

Harvey Farley, sixteen years old, of

2121 M Street.

W. R. Lonzo, fifty-four years old, clairvoyant, of 510 East Marshall

from these boys.

At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon
Chief of Police Werner was notified
by Mayor Ellis, of Ashland, that
Beckner and Nevin were under arrest Krengel Catches Negro Woman
Who Broke Open Trunk and
Turned Things Topsy-Turvy.

Many robberies, of all kinds and

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Advocate of "House-Cleaning Day" Says Filthy Cellars Are

Not Confined to Poor.

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Lonzo's Place Searched

When searched in Ashland a few possession of Beckner and Nevin. They are said to have confessed to the offi-cers and gave information which later ed to the arrest of Lonzo and Farley

When Lonzo's apartments, where he carries on his business as palm read-er, were searched, a large quantity or, were searched, a large quantity of jewelry, valued at several hundred dollars, and other articles were found. They were confiscated by Wiltshire and Gentry and taken to police head-quarters and will be used as evidence when the case is called. Lonzo had in his passession without the case is called. in his possession watches, fobs, bracelets, pawn tickets, pocketbooks, foun-tain pens and a large assortment of miscellaneous articles.

at \$180, is believed to have been stolen by Nevin from Russell E. Stiff, of the Virginia Apartments, Fifth and Main

thing from the youths under arrest. He admitted that he knew them, and said that the articles, alleged to have been stolen were given him by the boys for favors he had done them. Nevin would not talk, Beckner, who has before,

said that he placed the purse in the journal-box of a freight car in the yards of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway. After taking the cash, it is alleged, he left other articles, including a key to a safe-deposit box, in the purse. The police are now making efforts to trace the pocketbook in order to get the key that a local bank

may be saved the necessity of breaking open the small vault.

The entire machinary of the police
department will be set to work this
morning to find out the owners of the various articles confiscated. Captain McMahon said that several had already been found, through means of rob-bery reports which have recently been

Ray Martin in Hospital. Ray Martin, son of George E. Mar-tin, of Providence Forge, who was operated on for appendicitis at Johnston Willis Hospital yesterday, is improv

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used to shine the shoes of the Rockefellers in the Standard Oil Building.
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Standard Oil stock it would be a good
investment for a bootblack. So he purchased share after share as fast as his
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made himself a partner of the Rockemade himself a partner of the Rocke-fellers. When the bootblack put up his shares in court as security for a friend in trouble the truth leaked out.

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MEETING TO-DAY

Will Discuss Public Improve- Ordinance Violators Face Crutch- Tuesday, April 29, Agreed Upon ments-Meeting on Annexation To-Morrow.

The second of the business men's lunches at the Business Men's Club will be held at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, and the subject up for discussion is "Public Improvements Needed in Richmond." The committee, consisting of W. H. Adams, chairman; J. T. Palmatory and B. W. Wilson, has been very busy gathering data and securing speakers, so that the meeting promises to be exceptionally interest-Palmatory and B. W. Wilson, has been very busy gathering data and securing speakers, so that the meeting promises to be exceptionally interest-

be a large attendance.

The purpose of the meeting is primarily to discover the opinion of Richmond business men upon the question of annexation. With a public hearing on annexation before a Council committee scheduled for next Tuesday, such an expression is considered especially timely. possible, any one who desires is invited to address the meeting for not more than seven minutes.

The same committee which arrang-

The same committee which arranged the meeting on annexation held last Wednesday, consisting of John Landstreet, chairman; W. P. Waddey and Arthur Levy, will have charge of the meeting, and will arrange to have data on the subject presented. Thomas P. Bryan, president of the club, will preside

MAY REQUIRE VENTILATION

Public Hearing on Ordinance Regulating
Moving- Picture Houses.

A public hearing will be given at the City
Hall to-night by a subcommitte of the Committee on Ordinance on the ordinance regulating the ventilating of theatres and movpicture houses where large numbers of peopie congragate. The ordinance authorizes
the Board of Health to make suitable rules
for the government of the ventilation of
such buildings, and to make a systematic
inspection. The need for some oversight of
the ventilation, or rather lack of ventilation
of many of the moving-picture houses has
been made plain. The committee now desires to hear the side of the proprietors of
such smusement resorts.

"TURNED DOWN"

Beckner, who has before, he said been in trouble, accused him of having stolen the watch from Mr. Stiff and to have sold it to "The Professor."

Beckner said he did not know "The Professor."

Charge Many Thefis.

It was nearly midnight when Wiltshire and Gentry arrested Farley and Parker. They are accused of stealing a pocketbook containing about \$10 and other articles from Miss Hermain DeVoss Moore, who is employed in the Travelers' Building. Parker is alleged to have admitted the theft and said that he placed the purse in the

Had No Quorum.

The Council Committee on Public Buildings. Properties and Utilities failed of a quorum last night. The four Aldermen members—Messrs. Mitchell, Powers, Melton and Bilicy—were present, but not a single one of the five from the Common Council appeared.

Directors of Chamber of Commerce Appoint Committee to Work for Annexation.

With the appointment of a specia committee to take the matter actively n charge the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday entered formally upon the annexation program, which it has mapped out for itself this year. The committee begins

itself this year. The committee begins work at once under the chairmanship of John C. Easley. The other members are Henry W. Rountree, John G. Corley, Dr. Charles A. Robins and W. H. Schwarzschild.

The naming of the committee followed a free discussion of the annexation question, in which the directors committed the Chamber of Commerce to a liberal plan of expansion. The taking in of new territory, it was agreed, is highly desirable both from the standpoint of citizens, who demand moderate rents with municipal admoderate rents with municipal advantages, and from the viewpoint of the suburbs, which suffer from the separation. With two exceptions, Richmond is to-day the most densely populated city in the United States for its area. or Its area.

The special committee on annexation will arrange a mass of data in furtherance of their mission, and will present it to the City Council. It will appear next Tuesday evening before the special Council committee on an-nexation. In the meantime the cham-ber will be represented at mass meet-ings called to consider the matter by the West End Citizens' Association to morrow night, and by the town of Highland Park Monday night. Busi-ness Manager Dabney will speak at both meetings.

hess manager Dabney will speak at both meetings. Secretary Dunlop reported two ap-plications for membership in the Chamber of Commerce, Bayard H. Storm and Charles Hutzler. Both were

PAVEMENTS MUST

field, and Are Fined for

Major Werner is determined to see that it is done. Other offenders, it is expected, will be summoned to court.

Another ordinance violation which has lately caused complaint is agains merchandise. The law prescribes that these encroachments shall not be more than one foot, where the sidewalk is less than nine feet wide. Most of these violations are said to exist in these violations are said to exist in Seventeenth and lower Main Street.

Aside from issuing orders to all possible a want that has been a seventeenth and lower main street. Aside from issuing orders to all po-licemen, Major Werner has detailed Detective Krengel to report these

"NEAR THE KINGDOM"

Strong Sermon Preached at First Baptist by Dr. Porter.

At the First Baptist Church last night Dr. H. A. Porter spoke most impressively to a large audience on the subject. "Near the Kingdom." The minister declared that the saddest tragedy of the seas is to be found in the sinking of the ship that goes down within sight of its own harbor. So also one of the most pathetic incidents in the life of Jesus was the occasion when the scribe turned away from Him after being assured that he was not far from the kingdom of God. "And when Jesus saw that the scribe answered discreetly, He said unto him. Thou art not far from the kingdom. "Many are the influences that operate of God" to bring men "Near the Kingdom." and with tender words the minister asked that these influences be given full sway in men's hearts and lives. Dr. Porter will speak at the 4 o'clock to-night.

Dr. Mason to Preach.

"POULTRY, PETS & LIVE STOCK"-one of the most interesting columns on the "Want" page. Of interest both to the buyer and the seller.

Turn to the "Want" page and see for yourself. Not long ago there was a new species of grain advertised in that column that merited investigation. In the same column a thoroughbred horse was offered at a bargain and several high-bred cattle cheap. Further down the column other attractive opportunities were offered

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as Date for Annual Appeal for Help.

very busy gathering data and securing speakers, so that the meeting promises to be exceptionally interesting. Fifty business men, chosen alphabetically, have been invited, and the meeting will be adjourned promptly at 2:30 o'clock.

The pressing question of annexation will be discussed at a meeting to which the entire membership of the club has been invited, at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. No cards for the meeting have been issued, as it is being announced entirely through the newspapers, and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

The purpose of the meeting is primarily to discover the opinion of Richmond business men upon the question of annexation. With a public hearing in this offense and have them summoned to Police Court.

Yesterday morning eight defendants appeared before Justice Crutchfield to show cause why they should not be fined. The Williard & Strange Motor Co., A. Zackary and T. J. Saunders were fined \$2 each. The Allen Motor Company and the Oakland Auto Company were dismissed.

Recently there have been numerous complaints from citizens of dust and trust on the pavements. The ordinance requires persons occupying premises to keep the sidewalks clean, and Major Werner is determined to see that it is done. Other offenders, it is ox-more to disperse the adjunct of the regular staff and alicited white at various points in the principal business streets and dispose of their stock at various points in the principal business streets and dispose of their stock at various points in the principal business streets and entitle white at various points in the principal business streets and entitle white at various points in the principal business streets and dispose of their stock at whatever price the tages with the red crosses, will scatter at various points in the principal business appeared before Justice Crutchfield to show cause why they should not be fined. The Williard & Strange Motor Co., A. Zackary and T. J. Saunders were fined \$2 each. The Allen Motor Company and the Co., L. W. Bromm, th

sociation.

According to the report of the hea According to the report of the head nurse, a total of 1.793 visits were paid last month by the nurses connected with this social organization. Nearly 300 of these were in Fulton, and 185 in South Richmond. The month closed with 219 patients on the visiting list, of which number 146 were new patients. A total of 119 patients were discharged last month.

Sixty-One Cases of Measles.

Measles took a new sport yesterday, sixty one cases being reported to the Board o Health, the largest number in one day i some time. There were no additional deaths

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